

EC-2350. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher Vessels Using Trawl Gear in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area" (RIN0648-XA376) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2351. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Deep-Water Species Fishery by Vessels Using Trawl Gear in the Gulf of Alaska" (RIN0648-XA394) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2352. A communication from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; 2011 Management Measures; Correction" (RIN0648-XA184) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2353. A communication from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; 2011 Specifications for the Spiny Dogfish Fishery" (RIN0648-XA163) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2354. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Snapper-Grouper Fishery of the South Atlantic; Snapper-Grouper Management Measures" (RIN0648-BA70) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2355. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Taking and Importing Marine Mammals; Taking Marine Mammals Incidental to Operation and Maintenance of the Neptune Liquefied Natural Gas Facility Off Massachusetts" (RIN0648-AX09) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2356. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States; Coastal Pelagic Species Fisheries; Annual Specifications" (RIN0648-XA109) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2357. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Monkfish; Amendment 5" (RIN0648-

AX70) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 30, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-2358. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act Regulations-Definition of 'Indian tribe'" (RIN1024-AD98) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 29, 2011; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-2359. A communication from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the decision to procure additional services on a noncompetitive basis under an existing contract for environmental clean-up work at the Idaho National Laboratory; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-2360. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report for fiscal year 2010 relative to the Medicaid Integrity Program, the Center for Program Integrity, and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-2361. A communication from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to Supplemental Security Income (SSI) non-medical redeterminations; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-2362. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on progress toward a negotiated solution of the Cyprus question covering the period February 1 through March 31, 2011; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2363. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the semiannual report on the continued compliance of Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Moldova, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan, and Uzbekistan with the 1974 Trade Act's freedom of emigration provisions, as required under the Jackson-Vanik Amendment; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-2364. A communication from the Deputy Director for Policy, Legislative and Regulatory Department, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits" (29 CFR Parts 4022 and 4044) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 29, 2011; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2365. A communication from the Deputy Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Services, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research (NIDRR)—Disability and Rehabilitation Research Projects and Centers Program. . . ." (CFDA Nos. 84.133A-6, 84.133A-7, and 84.133A-8) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 29, 2011; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2366. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report relative to the financial aspects of the Prescription Drug User Fee Act, as amended; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2367. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Workers' Compensation

Programs, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Performance of Functions; Claims for Compensation Under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act; Compensation for Disability and Death of Noncitizen Federal Employees Outside the United States" (RIN1240-AA03) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 29, 2011; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2368. A communication from the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Semi-Annual Report of the Inspector General for the period from October 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011 and the Attorney General's Semi-Annual Management Report; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2369. A communication from the Director, Administrative Office of the U.S. Courts, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the applications for the interception of wire and other communications during fiscal year 2010; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, from the Committee on Appropriations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

H.R. 2055. A bill making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 112-29).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN:

S. 1305. A bill to establish and clarify that Congress does not authorize persons convicted of dangerous crimes in foreign courts to freely possess firearms in the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. HAGAN (for herself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mr. KOHL):

S. 1306. A bill to provide for secondary school reform; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BEGICH (for himself and Ms. MURKOWSKI):

S. 1307. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to convey real property, including improvements, of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in Ketchikan, Alaska, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. RUBIO):

S. 1308. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to child pornography and child exploitation offenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. 1309. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to cover physician services delivered by podiatric physicians to ensure access by Medicaid beneficiaries to appropriate quality foot and ankle care; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 1310. A bill to improve the safety of dietary supplements by amending the Federal

Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require manufacturers of dietary supplements to register dietary supplement products with the Food and Drug Administration and to amend labeling requirements with respect to dietary supplements; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BENNET, and Mrs. HAGAN):

S. 1311. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 regarding 21st century community learning centers; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts:

S. 1312. A bill to strengthen and improve monitoring in the fisheries across the United States and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mr. VITTER, Mr. LIEBERMAN, and Mr. CARDIN):

S. 1313. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reauthorize the National Estuary Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. TESTER (for himself and Mr. BEGICH):

S. 1314. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Labor to establish minimum funding levels for States for the support of disabled veterans' outreach program specialists and local veterans' employment representatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BLUMENTHAL (for himself and Mr. LIEBERMAN):

S. 1315. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend public safety officers' death benefits to fire police officers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ENZI:

S. 1316. A bill to prevent a fiscal crisis by enacting legislation to balance the Federal budget through reductions of discretionary and mandatory spending; to the Committee on the Budget.

By Mr. DEMINT (for himself, Mr. COBURN, Mr. VITTER, Mr. PAUL, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. LEE, Mr. RISCH, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. GRAHAM, Ms. AYOTTE, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, and Mrs. HUTCHISON):

S. 1317. A bill to allow individuals to choose to opt out of the Medicare part A benefit; placed on the calendar.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. LANDRIEU, and Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota):

S. 1318. A bill to enhance pre- and post-adoptive support services; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 1319. A bill to direct the Attorney General to establish a system of background checks for employers and employees of the electronic life safety and security system installation and monitoring industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself and Ms. LANDRIEU):

S. 1320. A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to offer to enter into temporary used fuel storage facility agreements; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. LUGAR:

S. 1321. A bill to establish energy policies to make measurable gains in reducing dependence on foreign oil, saving Americans money, increasing United States competitiveness, improving energy security, improving environmental stewardship, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself, Mr. RISCH, Mr. HATCH, and Mr. LEE):

S. 1322. A bill to permit commercial vehicles at weights up to 129,000 pounds to use certain highways on the Interstate System in the State of Idaho, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. REID:

S. 1323. A bill to express the sense of the Senate on shared sacrifice in resolving the budget deficit; placed on the calendar.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Ms. LANDRIEU:

S. Res. 223. A resolution designating July 1, 2011, as "National Caretakers Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MORAN (for himself and Ms. STABENOW):

S. Res. 224. A resolution congratulating the Soil Science Society of America on its 75th anniversary; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GRAHAM (for himself and Mr. DEMINT):

S. Res. 225. A resolution congratulating the University of South Carolina baseball team for its gritty and record-breaking pursuit of back-to-back National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Baseball National Championships; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 164

At the request of Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts, the name of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. PAUL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 164, a bill to repeal the imposition of withholding on certain payments made to vendors by government entities.

S. 211

At the request of Mr. ISAKSON, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. BEGICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 211, a bill to provide for a biennial budget process and a biennial appropriations process and to enhance oversight and performance of the Federal Government.

S. 259

At the request of Mr. VITTER, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Mr. HELLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 259, a bill to require that the Government give priority to payment of all obligations on the debt held by the public and payment of social security benefits in the event that the debt limit is reached.

S. 382

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 382, a bill to amend the National Forest Ski Area Permit Act of 1986 to clarify the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture regarding additional recreational uses of National Forest System land that is subject to ski area permits, and for other permits.

S. 414

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) and the Senator from

Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 414, a bill to protect girls in developing countries through the prevention of child marriage, and for other purposes.

S. 418

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. CARDIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 418, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the World War II members of the Civil Air Patrol.

S. 501

At the request of Mr. THUNE, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 501, a bill to establish pilot projects under the Medicare program to provide incentives for home health agencies to utilize home monitoring and communications technologies.

S. 581

At the request of Mr. BURR, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. RUBIO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 581, a bill to amend the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 to require criminal background checks for child care providers.

S. 668

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. TOOMEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 668, a bill to remove unelected, unaccountable bureaucrats from seniors' personal health decisions by repealing the Independent Payment Advisory Board.

S. 724

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Mr. HELLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 724, a bill to appropriate such funds as may be necessary to ensure that members of the Armed Forces, including reserve components thereof, and supporting civilian and contractor personnel continue to receive pay and allowances for active service performed when a funding gap caused by the failure to enact interim or full-year appropriations for the Armed Forces occurs, which results in the furlough of non-emergency personnel and the curtailment of Government activities and services.

S. 898

At the request of Mr. CARDIN, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. CASEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 898, a bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to direct the Secretary to establish a comprehensive design standard program to prevent, control, and treat polluted stormwater runoff from federally funded highways and roads, and for other purposes.

S. 922

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 922, a bill to amend the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to authorize the Secretary of Labor to provide grants for Urban Jobs Programs, and for other purposes.